

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of :

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**For: AN ANTI-SPALLING COMBINATION ON AN IMPACT TOOL  
WITH AN IMPROVED HOLDING SYSTEM**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents:

**REQUEST FOR EXAMINER INTERVIEW**

Because the Office is likely to take up this application shortly, due to the age of  
the application, and in order to expedite a final action on this case, and hopefully an  
allowance, the Office is respectfully requested to schedule an interview with Examiner  
Flores-Sanchez, and the examiner with signatory authority in the above case, which the  
undersigned believes is Mr. Boyer Ashley, at which the inventor and patent counsel will  
attend.

Thank you.

Respectfully,

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